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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND  
TRADEMARK OFFICE  
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Application Number: 09/879,480  
Applicants: Jack C. Whittier, Barbi A. Riggs, Patrick D. Burns and  
George Seidel  
Filed: June 12, 2001  
Title: Integrated Herd Management System Utilizing Isolated  
Populations of X-Chromosome Bearing and Y-Chromosome  
Bearing Spermatozoa  
TC/AU: 1634  
Examiner: Carla J. Myers  
Assignee: XY, Inc.  
Attorney Docket: HrdMgmtCIP  
Customer No. 28424  
Confirmation No.: 6452  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

On behalf of the applicant, the undersigned attorney hereby requests an extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). This request is submitted in relation to a response due to the office action mailed November 5, 2008, having a shortened statutory period for response of three months. A response to this action would otherwise be due February 5, 2009; however, it is requested that this time period be extended for three months to and including May 5, 2009. This extension will thereby encompass the six month statutory period pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §133. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17, an extension fee of \$1,110.00 is submitted with this Petition. In the event the fee has been inappropriately calculated, please charge any additional fees to the Credit Card associated with this filing.

Dated this 28<sup>th</sup> day of April 2009.

Respectfully Submitted,  
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